Governor's Executive Orders/Proclamations

EXECUTIVE ORDERS, PROCLAMATIONS OF GENERAL APPLICABILITY, AND STATEMENTS ISSUED BY THE GOVERNOR PURSUANT TO A.R.S. § 41-1013(B)(3)

The Administrative Procedure Act (APA) requires the full-text publication of all Executive Orders and Proclamations of General Applicability issued by the Governor. In addition, the *Register* shall include each statement filed by the Governor in granting a commutation, pardon or reprieve, or stay or suspension of execution where a sentence of death is imposed.

* IN ACCORDANCE WITH ESTABLISHED EMERGENCY PROCEDURES*

WHEREAS, on July 25, 2000, the Gila County Board of Supervisors declared an emergency for the lack of precipitation that significantly reduced surface and ground water supplies upon which citizens and commerce are dependent; and

WHEREAS, Gila County has been hauling potable water for many days with their own forces and has contracted for additional resources to meet the needs; and

WHEREAS, this is above and beyond the capabilities of Gila County; and

WHEREAS, the governor is authorized to declare an emergency pursuant to A.R.S. § 26-303.d; and

WHEREAS, the Legislature has authorized the expenditure of funds in an event of an emergency pursuant to A.R.S. § 35-192, as amended;

NOW THEREFORE I, Jane Dee Hull, Governor of the State of Arizona, by the virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and Laws of the State of Arizona, due to the lack of potable water, do hereby determine the Gila County potable water shortage justifies a declaration of a State of Emergency, pursuant to A.R.S. § 26-303.d, and I do hereby:

- a. Declare that a State of Emergency exists in Gila County due to the potable water shortage, effective July 21, 2000 and continuing; and
- b. Direct that the sum of \$50,000 from the General Fund be made available to the Director of the State Division of Emergency Management to be expended in accordance with A.R.S. § 35-192, A.A.C. R8-2-301 to 321, Executive Order 79-4; and
- c. Direct that the State of Emergency Operation Plan be used to direct and control state and other assets; and direct that the Director of the Division of Emergency Management is authorized to coordinate state assets; and
- d. Authorize the Adjutant General to mobilize and call to activate all or such part of the National Guard as is determined necessary to assist in the protection of life and property throughout the State.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona.

Jane Dee Hull

Governor

DONE at the Capitol in Phoenix on this twenty-eighth day of July in the Year Two Thousand and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Twenty-fourth.

ATTEST:

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* IN ACCORDANCE WITH ESTABLISHED EMERGENCY PROCEDURES*

WHEREAS, on August 21, 2000, the Mohave County Board of Supervisors declared an emergency for the intense wind storm that caused extensive damage to many homes and county infrastructures throughout the storm affected area; and

WHEREAS, Mohave County has provided emergency protective measures and debris removal; and

WHEREAS, recovery from the storm event is above and beyond the capabilities of Mohave County; and

WHEREAS, the Governor is authorized to declare an emergency pursuant to A.R.S. § 35-192, as amended;

NOW THEREFORE I, Jane Dee Hull, Governor of the State of Arizona, by the virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and Laws of the State of Arizona, do hereby determine the Mohave County wind storm justifies a declaration of a State of Emergency, pursuant to A.R.S. § 26-303.d, and I do hereby:

- a. Declare that a State of Emergency exists in Mohave County due to the wind storm, effective August 16, 2000; and
- b. Direct that the sum of \$30,000 from the General Fund be made available to the Director of the State Division of Emergency Management to be expended in accordance with A.R.S. 35-192, A.A.C. R8-2-301 to 321, Executive Order 79-4; and
- c. Direct that the State of Emergency Operation Plan be used to direct and control state and other assets; and direct that the Director of the Division of Emergency Management is authorized to coordinate state assets; and

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona.

Jane Dee Hull

Governor

DONE at the Capitol in Phoenix on this twenty-fifth day of August in the Year Two Thousand and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Twenty-fourth.

ATTEST:

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* IN ACCORDANCE WITH ESTABLISHED EMERGENCY PROCEDURES*

WHEREAS, a state of emergency was declared on May 7, 1999, for presuppression fire programs due to a severe threat of wildland fire, PCA 99004, pursuant to A.R.S. § 37-623.02 and A.R.S. § 35-192, as amended; and

WHEREAS, the state received above normal monsoon rains in the months that followed, alleviating the threat of wildland fire; and

WHEREAS, the State Land Department did not exceed their budget for presuppression fire programs;

NOW THEREFORE I, Jane Dee Hull, Governor of the State of Arizona, by the virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and Laws of the State of Arizona, do hereby terminate the declaration of the state of emergency of May 7, 1999. As per House Bill 2409 in the 44th Legislature, 2nd Regular Legislative Session of the Arizona Sate Legislature, approved \$360,000 from the Fire Suppression Fund be appropriated to the Arizona Division of Emergency Management and the remaining balance allocated from the Governor's Emergency Fund be reverted to the General Fund.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona.

Jane Dee Hull Governor

DONE at the Capitol in Phoenix on this thirtieth day of May in the Year Two Thousand and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Twenty-fourth.

ATTEST:

Betsey Bayless

Secretary of State

* IN ACCORDANCE WITH ESTABLISHED EMERGENCY PROCEDURES*

WHEREAS, a state of emergency was declared on June 17, 1999, for severe forest and grassland fire, known as the Rainbow Fire, PCA 99005, on the White Mountain Apache Reservation in Navajo County; and

WHEREAS, all of the eligible response and recovery work pertaining to the emergency are complete; and

WHEREAS, the Governor's Emergency Funds were expended pursuant to A.R.S. § 35-192, as amended;

NOW THEREFORE I, Jane Dee Hull, Governor of the State of Arizona, by the virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and Laws of the State of Arizona, do hereby terminate the declaration of the state of emergency of June 17, 1999. All unexpended Governor's Emergency Funds allocated to the emergency shall revert to the General Fund.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona.

Jane Dee Hull Governor

DONE at the Capitol in Phoenix on this twenty-sixth day of June in the Year Two Thousand and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Twenty-fourth.

ATTEST:

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* IN ACCORDANCE WITH ESTABLISHED EMERGENCY PROCEDURES*

WHEREAS, unforeseen technological or civil events, related to the year 2000 transition, could have threatened public welfare and property within the State of Arizona; and

WHEREAS, unforeseen events attributable to computer or systems failures could have impacted critical infrastructure and cause undiagnosed technological problems; and

WHEREAS, communities throughout Arizona have made contingency plans to prepare for any year 2000 transition problems and have committed city and county staff to their duty stations to insure an effective and timely response; and

WHEREAS, the impact of potential failures in cities and communities throughout Arizona might have exceeded local emergency response capability and caused requests for assistance from the State of Arizona to resolve year 2000 transition problems; and

WHEREAS, it was prudent to activate the State of Emergency Operation Center, as a precautionary measure to assist the cities and counties, and to coordinate State assets if requested;

NOW THEREFORE I, Jane Dee Hull, Governor of the State of Arizona, by the virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and Laws of the State of Arizona, do hereby terminate the declaration of the state of emergency of January 5, 2000. All unexpended funds allocated to the emergency shall revert to the Governor's Emergency Fund.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona.

Jane Dee Hull

Governor

DONE at the Capitol in Phoenix on this twenty-third day of February in the Year Two Thousand and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Twenty-fourth.

ATTEST:

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* IN ACCORDANCE WITH ESTABLISHED EMERGENCY PROCEDURES*

WHEREAS, quantities of hazardous substances, hazardous wastes, pollutants, explosives, chemicals, and other hazardous materials, many of which are unidentifiable, deteriorated, and unstable, were being stored or disposed of on real property located at 44830 North 27th Avenue, New River, Maricopa County, Arizona (the "Property"); and

WHEREAS, a release, or a threat of a release, of the hazardous materials and an imminent and substantial endangerment to the public health or welfare or the environment existed on the Property due to the threat of releases from any unplanned fire or explosion; and

WHEREAS, the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, and Firearms and the United States Environmental Protection Agency maintained exclusive control over the Property since September 1997, and terminated their activities on the Property on March 14, 1999; and

WHEREAS, the existence of the conditions on the Property constituted a peril to the safety of persons or property and were beyond the control of services, personnel, equipment, and facilities of any single county, city or town, and which required the combined efforts of the State of Arizona and the political subdivisions; and

WHEREAS, the Legislature had not made an appropriation to meet the demands of this emergency; and

NOW THEREFORE I, Jane Dee Hull, Governor of the State of Arizona, by the virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and Laws of the State of Arizona, do hereby terminate the declaration of the state of emergency of March 23, 1999. All unexpended funds allocated to the emergency shall revert to the General Fund.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona.

Jane Dee Hull

Governor

DONE at the Capitol in Phoenix on this twenty-third day of March in the Year Two Thousand and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Twenty-fourth.

ATTEST: